

## THE CAPITAL GROCERY.

## It's The People's Opportunity!

And from month to month the news is spreading about the way CAPITAL GROCERY is selling goods with the pride which comes of success, and the confidence born of present superiority. We announce for the coming week again values that in comparison will dwarf all others.

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1 package Yeast Foam.....	24c
1 bottle Blueing.....	24c
1 box Shoe Blacking.....	24c
Large package Stove Polish.....	24c
Package Yucca Gum.....	24c
1 cake Tar Soap.....	24c
1 box Coffee Essence.....	24c
1 package Washing Powder.....	24c
1 cake Toilet Soap.....	24c
1 lb Soda.....	24c
1 lb choice Evaporated Peaches.....	24c
1 bar Ivory Soap.....	4c
1 bottle Lemon Extract.....	4c
1 cake Oil Sardines.....	4c
1 cake Chocolate.....	4c
1 Lamp Burner.....	4c
1 can Lye.....	4c
Rising Sun Stove Polish.....	4c
1 bottle Vanilla Extract.....	4c
1 lb good Starch.....	4c
1 box Bird Seed.....	4c
Grandpa's Scent.....	4c
Buttle Shoe Dressing.....	4c
1 bottle Catsup.....	4c
1 cake Sapolio.....	4c
1 bottle Pickles.....	4c
1 quart Pickles.....	4c
1 lb Apple Butter, by pair.....	4c

1 cake Butter Milk Soap.....	7c
1 package Sunbeam Coconut.....	7c
100-lb sack Finest Granulated Sugar.....	\$4.60
100-lb sack Best Flour in the World.....	1.30
4-gallon keg Best Syrup.....	1.25
6-gallon keg Pure Cider Vinegar.....	1.15

## Special Combination.

25 lbs best Granulated Sugar.....	\$1.00
3 bars Kirk's White Russian Soap.....	.25
1 sack Minnesota Flour.....	.85
1 lb best Japan Tea.....	.50

All the above for \$2.60.

## Very Cheap.

Willow Clothes Baskets.....	40c
Largest and best Clothes Baskets.....	50c
Wash Boards.....	15c
Wash Tubs.....	40c
Brooms, each.....	15c

You bet we have them,  
**Potatoes!**

GET OUR PRICES ON  
FIVE OR TEN  
BUSHEL  
LOTS

5 Gallons Coal Oil.....35 cents  
5 Gallons Gasoline.....40 cents  
THIS WEEK ONLY.

50-lb can Lard.....	\$3.50
15 lbs choice White Lard.....	1.00
Finest Salt Herring, 2 for.....	50c
Large pail Mackerel.....	75c
Large pail White Fish.....	75c
Snow White Fish.....	50c
Bucket of Syrup as low as.....	50c
1 gallon Sorghum.....	40c
1 box White Russian Soap.....	\$3.65
1 large package Gold Dust.....	20c
1,000 lbs Chase & Sarbom's Coffee.....	1.00
4 lbs.....	1.00
5 lbs choice Coffee.....	1.00
6 lbs good Coffee.....	1.00
7 lbs fine Coffee.....	1.00
9 lbs Combination Coffee.....	1.00
60c Japan Tea.....	25c
Gunpowder Tea.....	25c
\$1 Oolong Tea.....	40c
\$1 Young Hyson Tea.....	40c
\$1 Japan Tea.....	40c
\$1 Gunpowder Tea.....	40c

more, but we sell all you want at the uniform price of

8<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> c per can.

California Yellow Table Peaches, Bartlett Pears, Egg Plums, Green Gage Plums, California Cherries, Choice Tomatoes, Boston Baked Beans, Great Pineapple, Beatrice Corn, Choice Pears, Muscat Grapes. All the above in any quantity you want. They are mixed together, take them as they run.

## SIX DAYS

In this week we will sell Potatoes and Flour at prices where we will have our competitors way up in a high tree on a large limb. 30 lbs Navy Beans.....\$1.00 Brown Soap, per box.....2.00 25-lb box Soda Crackers.....1.10

## 500 Cases

of the following at 8<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> cents per can, we give the name and brand, every article warranted. You know they are worth

We are willing to lose \$1,000 this week if we get 500 new customers. keep you coming by making it an object.

If you call this week you will come again. We

## S. SPROAT, THE CAPITAL GROCERY.

Wholesale and Retail. Mail Orders shipped same day received.

## WHAT MORRILL SAID.

His Advice Addressed to Boys Starting Out in Life,

## AND NOT TO LABORING MEN

According to the Statements of the Emporia Papers Which Have Not Been Proven False.

The Emporia papers denounce as untrue the alleged quotation from Major Morrill's speech, which is being circulated as a Populist campaign document. The Emporia Republican says:

"The Calamities are scattering dodgers today quoting Major Morrill as saying in his speech here: 'If you laboring men can't get \$1 a day, take 75 cents. If you can't get that, take 50 cents. They are liberally misrepresented the facts when they printed that statement. They knew Maj. Morrill never uttered such a statement, for the fellows who are responsible for the dodgers were at the meeting and heard what he did say. Major Morrill addressed and no laboring men, and these unprincipled reformers know it. What he did say, was to boys just starting out in life, and the self-styled reformers who are resorting to this contemptible sneaking misrepresentation were there and heard him say that he was talking to boys, and no laboring men. The Emporia Gazette makes this denial:

"In front of the Populist League's rooms is posted a printed sheet pretending to give a quotation from Major Morrill's speech, saying seventy-five cents a day was enough for a working man. The people who put it up were either ignorant or they lie. Major Morrill made no such assertion and uttered no words that could be perverted to mean anything like it.

"In his speech Major Morrill did give some sensible advice to boys, urging them to work hard, and no matter whether they received seventy-five cents, a dollar, or more per day, to save some of it. He urged habits of industry, sobriety and integrity and was just such advice as any father, Republican, Populist or Democrat, would give his son." The affidavit signed by three prominent Populists, saying that Major Morrill did utter the statements credited to him, is published in the Populist papers, but this affidavit is silent as to whether Major Morrill addressed laboring men or young men, so it is fair to presume that the statements of the Emporia Republican papers are in every respect honest and truthful.

## QUIT YOU FOOLIN' ROON' THA NES!

Written for the JOURNAL. Populist reformer getting "herry sick." Quit you foolin' roon' thas nes! He has his top knot now nufey quick—Quit you foolin' roon' thas nes! His hippy hippy makes me laff—His head is sore, in his lo's or gut—Was eye out, quit you foolin' roon' thas nes! You might as well set on "Chancy" aigs—Quit you foolin' roon' thas nes! You want haff and no "yaller laigs"—Quit you foolin' roon' thas nes! You want to "wams" her been so grate You aigs got out in the sniflow state, 'N the aigs er goin' to sniflow state—Quit you foolin' roon' thas nes!

## THIS WAS FALSE, TOO.

One More "Refutation"—Keeps the Reader Hurling to Keep Up.

Alex. McRoberts, one of the directors of school district No. 33, three miles west of the city, better known as the Wana-maker school, called at the State Journal office and said the story about a Methodist revival being turned out of their school house for a Populist meeting was false.

Mr. McRoberts said: "I am a school director, a Populist and a Methodist, and I have the honor of being a class leader. The Populist meeting at our school house was announced for that Thursday night before the revival meetings began, and was postponed one week on account of the revival, and we would have postponed the second one had not the church people volunteered to suspend

their meetings for that night. Mr. Addison Hughes, the other Populist director, had nothing to do with the arrangements for the meeting."

## PARTISANSHIP.

It Goes Pretty Far in One Topeka Avenue Instance.

Saturday morning a woman who resides on Topeka avenue who is a violent partisan and who never believes "half way" in anything she believes in, but is apt to rather overstep the line, met a group of little boys wearing the pink Populist badges and carrying small American flags.

This woman's political "leanings" are most decidedly Republican. When she met the boys she said: "Little boys, are you all Populists?" "Yes, mamam," replied one of them. "Well, then," said the woman, "you ought to lay those flags away. You shouldn't carry the American flag. I don't think little Populist boys should be allowed to carry the American flag." The little boys made no reply but they didn't give up their flags.

## WHOOPLA ARKANSAS CITY.

It is and It Isn't. Who Tells the Truth.

ARKANSAS CITY, Nov. 3, 1894.

To the Editor of the STATE JOURNAL: Lute White the author of the JOURNAL dispatch from this city is the driver of the Wells Fargo Express wagon and attends to the delivery of bills, etc., for the company. He is the son of the Populist candidate for county commissioner. The publishers of the Arkansas Valley Democrat repudiate and denounce the dispatch as a contemptible outrage on the paper.

C. M. McINTYRE, Publisher Arkansas Valley Democrat.

ARKANSAS CITY, Nov. 5, 1894.

To the Editor of the STATE JOURNAL: The telegram sent to the STATE JOURNAL by T. W. Eckert of this city that the resolution passed by Democrats last Monday night was a fake is absolutely false and T. W. Eckert knew same. The resolution was passed as the first message stated by over thirty of the best Democrats of this city and is endorsed by nine-tenths of the party of this city.

(Signed) ED. GRADY, M. H. SNYDER, T. H. HILL, M. B. VANDER, AND OTHERS.

## SAME OLD STORY.

Thousands Ready to Bet, But Somehow the Money Never Goes Up.

Saturday two men walked into P. A. McPherson's "betting exchange" and introduced themselves as Samuel Hunnewell of Montgomery county, and Peter Haskins of Clay county.

"I understand you have some money to bet on Morrill," said Hunnewell. "We have \$5,000 here that we want to bet on Lewelling."

"All right," said McPherson; "but I will have to go out and get the money. I haven't it here with me."

"All right, we will wait," said Hunnewell.

McPherson went to Senator W. E. Sterne and secured \$5,000 in cash, which he put in his pocket and started back to his office. Before he got there he met the men on the street.

"I thought you were going to wait," he said.

"We thought you had skipped from us like all you Republican bluffers do," said Hunnewell.

"Well, I didn't," said McPherson. "Here is your money. Now put up." The visitor did a certified check.

Hunnewell and Haskins seemed surprised.

"Oh," said they, "you fellows have been trying to run a 'rummy' about Morrill having 10,000 plurality. That's what we want to bet against."

"You didn't say anything about that," said McPherson, "and I am not authorized to make that sort of a bet with this money."

McPherson then went to return the money to Sterne and told the circumstances.

Hunnewell whistled softly. "What do you think of that Pete?" said he.

Pete wasn't thinking just then.

"Look here," said Hunnewell, "you fellows and Leland have been howling that Morrill is going to have a plurality of 40,000. Now you ought to give us 20,000."

"What the deuce do you fellows want?" said McPherson.

"Well, to tell you the truth," said one of them. "This money is Jerry Simpson's and we are up here to bet it on him."

McPherson took the money back to Sterne.

## A TALE FROM BAKER UNIVERSITY.

Told By a Student Who Has Come Home to Vote.

A Baker University student who came home to vote, and paid his railroad fare, says the Republican state central committee offered to pay the railroad fare of all the students who live in the Sixth and Seventh districts, and wanted to go home to vote for Ellis and Long.

The committee declined to furnish others transportation, saying that if they had been in school thirty days they could vote at Baldwin and their votes would do Judge Miller as much good as any one.

## CURTIS TONIGHT.

Republicans Close the Campaign at Hamilton Hall Tonight.

Congressman Charles Curtis will speak at the last Republican meeting of the campaign at Hamilton hall tonight. This meeting will also be addressed by County Attorney H. C. Safford, J. G. Wood, E. M. Cockrell, Major J. K. Hudson and others. McNary's glee club will sing.

## At Home to Vote.

During the past six months I have been solicited to vote with the third party Prohibitionists, but I want to say through the columns of the STATE JOURNAL that I value my vote and the best interests of our state too highly to cast my vote in a way that would lend directly or indirectly to the Populist party. We have had enough of rotten administration. This is no time for changing or forming new parties. Let every true citizen see to it that his vote is cast tomorrow for Major Morrill and the entire Republican ticket.

C. R. McDOWELL.

## SHOULD TEACH SEWING.

An Advocate of Something New in the Public Schools.

To the Editor of the State Journal: I see you commend the action of the Chicago school board in adding type-writing to the common school course. For more necessary than this in our own schools at least in Tennessee is instruction in sewing needed. Sewing is taught in the public schools of Washington and St. Paul. Here, in Tennessee, the girls are growing up with no knowledge of that most necessary and useful accomplishment. Oftentimes the mothers cannot teach their daughters, for lack of that requirement themselves, and also for the reason that many of them have to go out and help earn the living. It would be a pleasing and most beneficial branch if it could be incorporated into the school work here.

A SEWING ADVOCATE.

## SATURDAY NIGHT'S FIRE.

It Made a Big Blaze But the Damage Was Small.

Jerry Bennett's house on the southwest corner of Eighth and Tyler streets was the scene of Saturday night's fire. The fire was mostly in the roof and furnished a blaze that lighted up all that portion of the city. It had a big start but the firemen controlled it in unusually quick time. The fire was confined to the roof although the damage by water was severe. Much of the furniture was taken out. It started probably from a defective fuse.

When the alarm was sounded the Populist meeting was going on at Hamilton hall. A Populist woman whispered to her neighbor: "It is just the Republicans ringing the fire bell to break up our meeting."

Rock Island Playing Cards.

No. 601 Kans. Ave.

112 and 114 West 5th, Peerless Steam Laundry.

D. Holmes, druggist, 731 Kansas ave.

## "CHARLEY'S AUNT."

It Will Be Played at the Grand Instead of "Jane."

Frohman's "Jane" that was to have been at the Grand on Saturday night has cancelled its engagement here for the present and "Charley's Aunt" a Frohman comedy, will take its place. "Charley's Aunt" played nearly all summer at the Grand in Chicago and was the most popular success of the season.

The few people who forewent the excitement of the big parade Saturday night to attend the entertainment at the Grand opera house found it a very meritorious performance. When Willie Collier was here last year with the farce comedy "Hos and Hos" he was not very well received and his work was severely criticised.

In the comedy-drama, "A Back Number" Saturday night he was really superior to any actor that has been at the Grand this winter. In the part of the village schoolmaster he was pathetic, and at once easy. The part was not overdone, and such a part is very easily overdone. In the part of Ike, the schoolmaster's shiftless brother, his understanding of the proper repetition of comedy lines was splendid and his interpretation of the part was a true to life as it was possible to make it.

The two parts were so far removed from each other that they gave Mr. Collier an excellent opportunity to show an audience what he can do. Mr. Collier is a young man and certainly has a splendid future in comedy drama.

The Iowa State band, which will be in Topeka at the grand this evening in one of its big concerts, will come, Mr. Crawford says, from Kansas City this afternoon on a special train and will have a special train back. He writes from St. Joseph that he really very good and gave as much satisfaction there as did the lamented Gilmore. There are fifty-two people in the band and they are all competent musicians. There is one piece original that is entitled "The Midway," and it is done in costume.

The "Silver Wedding" company that was to have played at the Grand tomorrow night will not be here. The great question with its members just now is now they will get back to New York and not starve to death on the way.

On Thursday night the comedians Combs and Fox will be at the Grand in "Hot Tamales," a piece that has attracted a good deal of attention. Both of these men have established reputations in comedy and the company is most highly spoken of by the Omaha papers. The performance made a hit there and the stars were lauded by the Elks of that city. Both of them are "Hot Tamales" is a musical comedy.

## DOESN'T LIKE WORK.

A City Jail Prisoner Who Refuses to Work But May Change His Mind.

P. H. Carr, the frisky young man who was in police court this morning for the sixth time in five weeks, and to whom was coupled a \$25 fine, was so mad about it that he absolutely refused to go to work and acted ugly about it. He dared the entire police force to make him work. Jailer Workuff gave him his choice in the matter and took him back to his cell.

There is a little thing about the jail business that P. H. doesn't seem to be onto however, and that is, for the days he doesn't work he doesn't get any credit on his sentence. Workuff says Carr will die in jail if he doesn't work out that twenty-five day sentence.

Richard Shaffer and Mrs. Eva Weber live side by side in Veale's addition, but not happily. Mrs. Weber says that on Sundays Mr. Shaffer worships with a bottle of "white hose." Yesterday Mrs. Eva—we will have woman suffrage soon you know and we might as well begin getting used to it—was at home, and Mr. Shaffer stood at a safe distance on the other side of the board fence and made faces at him. This was more than Mrs. Eva could stand and she has sworn out a complaint in the police court. It will not come up for hearing till Wednesday, as tomorrow is election day.

## SHOT WITH A ROCKET.

Deputy District Clerk L. S. Curtis Hurt in the Parade Saturday Night.

"Shell" Curtis, deputy clerk of the district court, was shot in the back with a sky rocket in the flambeau parade Saturday night. He was marching along

## The Value of a Dollar

Is best established by the labor it took to obtain it, and what can be obtained with it. We take that view of it when we mark our goods. We cannot appeal to the man who has money to throw away on his clothes. We do appeal to the man to whom a saving of from \$2 to \$5 on a suit of clothes means the saving of A DAY'S HARD LABOR. Workingmen especially should bear this in mind: That we are selling Clothing in our FREE WOOL SALE 30 PER CENT UNDER ANY OTHER HOUSE IN THE CITY, and that this saving on a Suit or Overcoat is equivalent to a day's labor. Can you shut your eyes to this fact when we prove it?

## Why Pay \$10 for the Suit or Overcoat We Sell for \$7.50?

... Today we opened two lots AMERICAN MELTON ALL WOOL SUITS and OVERCOATS in browns and greys, suits in single and double breasted sacks and cutaways, trimmings of first-class materials, and workmanship A1 throughout. Sold by Clothiers asleep to the new order of things at \$10. OUR FREE WOOL PRICE

... \$7.50 ... You SAVE \$2.50 IN CASH, and you can do with it as you please.



shooting roman candles at a rate of four-teen cents a second, with the sky rocket brigade back of him. George Butts and Andy Gregg are both experienced rocket shooters, but by some slip a rocket that had just been lighted got away from them, and instead of going up went south until it struck Mr. Curtis between the shoulders. It didn't break any bones, but it inflicted a bruise that is sore yet, and although he is at work today his friends notice a lack of friskiness that is unnatural.

## HELD A MOCK ELECTION.

The Women of San Bernardino, California, Elected a Prohibitionist Governor.

SAN BERNARDINO, Cal., Nov. 3.—The first election held in this county in which women only cast a ballot for candidates for county and state officers has been held in southern California, and French the prohibition candidate for governor is probably elected.

The movement which originated in San Bernardino two months ago soon spread, not only all over this county, but women in all adjoining counties caught the idea and in Riverside, in Los Angeles and in San Diego counties they have been marching up to, or rather at the polls and putting in a ballot which might indicate their right as citizens. "For good, home and native land" was the motto over in sight about the polling booths. About 20,000 votes were polled almost all the ballots being scratched, although the Prohibitionists and Populists received many more votes than the old line parties. To prepare their ballots in two cases required forty minutes. The best time made by any female voter was twelve and one-half minutes. Several disturbances occurred at the polls because some ladies demanded the right to deliver

## To Business Men

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